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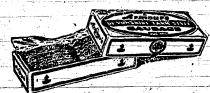
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The term of the circuit judgeship in Michigan is six years. Judge Nelson Sharpe of West Branch was first ap-Hon John T. Rich. Governor, on July 7, 1893. Many of the early settlers o This county and adjoining counties will well remember when he came to this state, a young man, and with his





brother Albert became the owners. and publishers of the Ogemaw County Times, at that time the only Republican newspaper published in Ogemaw county, and continued as one of the he entered the practice of law and was soon afterward elected to the office of held at the time of his appointment as Circuit Judge.

presented, without opposition, to the voters of the district for election, four vere duty, is attested by the high es- made permanent chairman, and T. P. y all who have had the privilege of his acquaintance. It is a well estab-lished fact, recognized by considerate dent. T. W. Hanson received almost people, that it is no easy task to do the unanimous vote, and was declared strict justice; and only a man, well nominated. Following is the ticket as read in the laws of the state, and post it with he presented to the elector sessing to a high degree, a conscient Monday March 12: ous regard for the rights of his fellow, could ever attain to that position which our good judge holds in the extimation of those who know him best The circle of fils acquaintance is not

imited to the six has come to familiarly speak of as 'my home counties," but in the twenty-four years of his work, he has been many times honored with appointments to hold court thruout the state. and whenever he has been called his work has met with the highest commendation, and particularly this is Detroit, where he has frequently been cailed to help in the greatly increase

His name has been mentioned a number of times as a candidate for the Supreme Bench, but it is only fair to However, thruout Michigan one fre quently hears him spoken of as one of the men best fitted to fill this high

As in the past, many will esteem it a privilege at the coming spring election to express their appreciation of his long and officient service, by the the nominee of a particular party, in not enter into the matter of his sup-

The judge is a true American, imbued with the belief that every man is the peer of every other, and in the administration of his duties, the man who is below par in luck and smitten with misfortune gets the chance to make good, and gets the same consideration as the person who is better able to present his case in court. Such a man-such a judge, is a character not met with now-a-days. Such a man

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NOMINATE CITIZENS VILLAGE TICKET

FOR VILLAGE PRESIDENT.

Al Roberts and A. M. Lewis Nominated to Succeed Trustees Jorgenson and Cook

The citizens' caucus for the village of Grayling for the nomination of candidates for the March election, was

The meeting was called to order and the official call read by Chairman C. O. McCullongh, after which

The first order of businesss was the

President -Thorn Clerk-Thorwald P. Peterson,

Treasurer Marins Hanson. Assessor-James W. Sorenson Trustees-Al Roberts, George W.

eCullough and Addison M. Lewis. It has been the custom in Grayling to eliminate politics entirely from village elections, by having but one ticket (Citizen) therefore it is reasonably expected that those nominated

will be elected without opposition. All/the nominations were made by ballot and all were nearly unanimous true in Wayne county or the city of and there seems to be no good excuse for anyone to come up on "slips" as was done last spring. Those who ing work of the courts of the big me- were present were privileged to vote tropolis of Michigan. as they saw ht and those who did not attend should not expect or endeavor, at election time, to overthrow what has been done legally and honorably the judge to say that it has never been in caucus. There seem to be a few done with his knowledge or consent, people who believe that there should be more than one ticket in the field at the village election, and if that is true an official call should be made and

caucus' held accordingly.

There being no contest it is seldom that more than 15 or 20 votes are cas in the election, thus, anyone running on slips may easily run in a candidate ballot. True, the laws of the state make it necessary that one must be the nominee of a particular party, in order to present his name to the qualicaucus or that more than one ticket tion the question of parisanship will be nominated, and then let the voters take their choice in the election. This is only fair and in this manner it gives opportunity for the "majority to rule." There is no question as to one's constitutional right to run on slips, in any election, yet is it morally fair to use this method without letting the

> and exercise their right of choice?
> The ticket elected Monday night is an exceptionally strong one and we believe will appeal to those who want good men in our public offices. Mr. Hanson has been our president before, having served several terms, and his election assures a first class, business administration. Mr. Roberts is fore-

general public know about it and give

them the opportunity to go to the polls

BOARD OF TRADE

MEETING Monday Night, Feb. 26.

There will be a regular monthly neeting of the Grayling Board of trade held at the Social club rooms Monday night, Feb. 26 at 8:00 p. m. Several matters of importance are to come before this meeting among them that of securing a new Michigan that he would be present at this time. It is desired that there be a good attendance at this meeting and members are urged to be there.

O. PALMER AND T. W. HAN-SON-ELECTED DELEGATES TO DETROIT CONVEN-

to elect delegates to attend the state Republican convention to be held in Detroit Tuesday, was held at the court house in Grayling, Saturday afternoon and was called to order by Chairman M. A. Bates. Allen B. Failing acted

elected delegates to the State convenng was brief. A resolution was of red in which it was stated that the

lo. We have every reason to believ er task is accepted by him is always done in a faithful, business like r ner; he is absolutely dependable and the tax payers may be assured that in who will be valuable and second to

none in efficiency and attention to du-Mr. McCullough has served two

terms and his re-nomination is an as-

Hans Petersen, the incumbent present, has served two years in that ca pacity and many years as member of e-conneil and in his retirement we se a faithful worker. Wahner Jorcenson has served many terms and John Cook two years. Their retire and they feel that others should be privileged to serve their city and incidentally wear the honors that justly come to such officials.

A township committee was elected follows: C. O. McCullough, chair ms follows: C. O. McCullough, chair man, Jos. Burton and Marius Hanson

sack.

Just Arriving

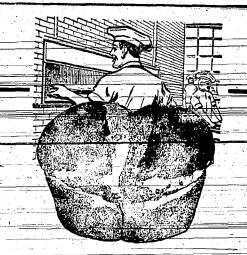
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SUBSCRIPTION BATES.

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, FEB. 22

Farmers' Week at M. A. C. The Michigan Agricultural College

terest to every farmer and farmer's wife has been prepared. A series of demonstrations will be given by the different Departments, in Belgium her monopoly of supplying addition to which there will be addresses by ten speakers from other

College faculty. The principal speakers on soils and crops, March 5 and 6, will be Prof. A. P. Whitson, University of Wisconsin; Prof. M. F. Fischer, Purdue University, and F. C. Martindale, of Indiana; Hou, Fred M. Warner, Senator A. T. Roberts, Hon. F. P. Hull. Pres. of State Milk Producers' association, and Hon. Fred L. Woodworth, State Dairy and Food Commissioner, are on the program for Wednesday. March 7 Prof. J. G. Fuller of the University of Wisconsin, will speak on "Feeding and Developing Draft Colts" and "The Care of the Swine Herd" on Thursday, March 8. Prof. S. A. Beach of Iowa Agricultural College will give two addresses upon different phases of "Orchard Management" on Friday. Special attention will also be given to

The Poultry Department will offer five-day course in Poultry raising, bewith W. H. Card of Connecticut, Prof. H. L. Kempster of University of Mi souri and Prof. A. G. Phillips. of Purdue University, among the speakers.

The lectures and demonstrations in Home Economics will continue thru the week, with the Women's Congress on Wednesday and Thursday. Prof. Isabel Bevier of University of Illinois will be on the program.

Interesting programs are planned for each evening, with an illustrated "Travel Talk" and a play by the M. A. C. Dramatic club among the fea-

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years, and during the past decade habeen actively engaged in forwarding the cause of wild fowl conservation

ORNAMENTAL NURSERY CEN-TER.

W. Ward Making Big Succes in California.

The Chronicle of San Francisco Calif., on January 7, had a fulk page illustrated write up of the Charles W Ward 400-acre nursery, at Eureka Humboldt county. California. At the op of the illustrations is shown a panoramic view of the nurseries. The Chronicle says that this is considered the foremost ornamental nursery in the world. In another panel is shown has set aside March 5 to 9 as "Farm the interior of a section of the 15 acres ers' Week," and a program full of in of slat houses where ten thousand of slat houses where ten thousand blooming plants of Azalea Indica are grown. In the production of these Mr. Ward has wrested from Ghent. the world with forcing azaleas.

Twoother panels show pictures of States, as well as by members of the some of the bulbs produced here and their method of curing. Set in the grouped panels is a fine picture of Mr Ward. Besides a good description of this splendid enterprise of Mr. Ward's. a synopsis of his career is printed from this we take pleasure in making i few extracts.

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"His education he received in the schools of Worcester, Mass., and Detroit. Mich., and while still a boy he entered woodcraft, passing most of his time in the then deuse Michigaforests. From 17 to 27 years of age he engaged in the logging and lumber

1885, he went to Europe to study for estry conditions in Germany. Again he broadened his operations in 1888 by Long Island, N. Y. In 1890 he en gaged in the nursery business a Queens, Long Island—a business which ince has made him famous

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"For the past twenty six years Ward dizer, and has been awarded numerous gold and silver medals for his vork in this field of endeavor. He was one of the original organizers and is a life member of the American Carnation-society and the American Per ny society and has been an active lif Florists for many years.

"He has been interested, likewise in wild life conservation for some 30 by the establishment of bird refugees long the Gulf Coast of Louisiana." Mr. Ward is well known in our

county. He is a son of the late David Ward, the lumberman, who owned extensive timber interests near here. The experimental gine forestry at Lovells was established by Mr. Ward.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

If you would please a woman, don'talk—listen.

The youth who courts a tail girl has

People who think before they speak If the smile won't come off it

becomes monotonous. The sap has stopped oozing from the

It's surprising how smart a boy can

when his mother tells it. A loss of dollars sometimes brings

the spendthrift to his senses. How we dislike people who are always dramatizing their troubles.

A successful blacksmith can either

shoe a horse or make a horseshoe.

A girl likes a young man who is dif-ferent from one who is indifferent. A woman may accept any old ex-

When a woman is harboring a brainstorm it is a man's cue to say nothing.

Few men have sufficient confidence they say.

But perhaps there are few small poys who would object to being kidapped to the circus.

More than 100 diseases may be caught—by kissing, says an eastern physician, and it will be just our luck

FROM EXAMINATION PAPERS

When a volcano spits fire it is called

The climate is caused by hot and

who is amphibious can use all of his hands.

A most was something like which grew on barons.

The days are shorter in winter be cause of cold contracts.

A miracle is anything that

Gold was discovered in California efore anyone knew it was there,

The Pagans were a contented race until the Christians came among

Mars is the name of a star so far off it would take a million years to

BICKERINGS OF A BACHELOR

there in an express train.

Anyway, the spinster is alway self-possessed woman.

A woman's tongue is often responsible for her shortness of breath.

If I had to choose between two evils. Pd marry the one that had the most

a man until he gets married. Yes, and even-then he is seldom the whole Probably there is no personal sacri-

fice quite so great as that of the misguided woman who marries a man to

When a widow makes up her mind to marry again, she first selects the man, then proceeds to fill him with what he likes best to eat.

ARE MEN PEOPLE?

Of 10 per cent of people falling Of ten people taking two seats in-

stead of one in the subway-nine are Of twenty-five-people forgetting um-brellas at people's houses—twenty-four

Of one hundred people who are very ill when they have a sore finger ninety-nine are men.

Of 20 per cent of people particular about the brand of eau de quinine for growing hair, 19 per cent are men.

Of 50 per cent of the people who borrow, a quarter, pencils, mucilage, etc., etc., etc., and forget to return them-49 per cent are men.—New York Tribune.

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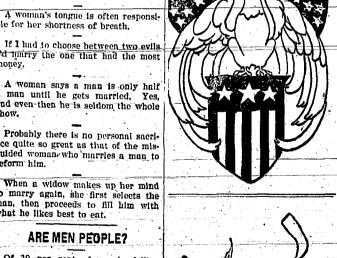














MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS

Vermontville citizens are planning co-operative elevator.

An automobile bus line will be started between Lausing and Vermontville A report from Iron Mountain states that Gust Freeden of Norway has out 5,500,000 feet of lumber this sea-

60 feet while working on a trestle on-an ice house. In spite of the high fall he only broke a leg.

The boad of commerce of Marshall sent a telegram to the interstate com-merce commission at Washington asking relief from the present coal

The annual convention of the Michigan Hardware Dealers' Association was held at Detroit last week. Over 600 members from all parts of the state attended.

Dr. Guy Kiefer, of Detroit, was appointed as a member of the state board of health by Governor Sleeper. Dr. Kiefer succeeds Dr. J. H. Kellogg, of Battle Creek.

Traverse City was in darkness sevral nights last week as a result of the street lighting system being "frezen." Supt. Gifford says that the oil in the rectifying transformers was

Lee West, proprietor of the Northville Garage & Sales company, died at his home in Novi township of pneumonia. He contracted the disease on he went to bring his aged mother

car tossed the car into an oil house Kalamazoo, causing an explosion from which three cars were destroyed with thei rcontents. The loss is estimated

Mildred Halstead, 14 years old, a Wyandotte high school student, was killed and three of her friends, all of Wyandotte, suffered serious injuries when a Detroit, Monroe & To-ledo limited car, struck an automobile in which they were riding.

The state senate confirmed the appointment by Gov. Sleeper of Mr. Blaney, of Kalamazoo, succeed O. H. L. Wernicke of Grand Rapids as a member of the board of entrol of Jackson prison. Mr. Blaney is a member of the Kalamazoo plumbing firm of Wheeler and Blaney. The lives of several nurses were

imperiled and Miss Brightup, night nurse, was nearly caught by the falling roof, when fire destroyed nurses' home of Mercy hospital at Benton Harbor. Miss Brightup was carried from the burning home by firemen a few minutes before the roof

read in the newspapers that an effort as being made by the state game warden to have a bounty placed on fox, owing to destructive habits of the animals. He went hunting for one ear the city, without securing a license. The deputy game wardens weren the job and he paid a fine of \$10

Infected with rables, a horse owned by Benjamin Groendyk of Grandville, died in the street before the village marshal, called to kill the animal, horse ate great holes in the beams and timbers in the barn and as a result most of the barn will have to be danger of spreading the disease

Robert Whinery, 70 years old, was buried Tuesday in a casket, which he built three years ago, and which has been used as a couch in the family home at Grand Rapids since that time. The casket is made of mahogany and is lined with silk American flags. Mr. Whinery, who for 44 years was an engineer en ployed by the Pennsylvania lines, brought the first train to Grand Rap-ids over the Grand Rapids & Indiana

That all of the mines of the Michtgan soft coal district may be closed down by a strike on the part of the organized miners of the Saginaw district, was the announcement made by President John M. Crutchfield, of the State organization, at a time when the mines are 'way behind orders and the state is crying for coal. Crutchfield intimates a strike may be caused because of alleged violation of the contract between the miners and operators, and the latter and owners of the mines.

Among those who have been watching the increasing tension between this country and Germany with anxiety are Prof. T. A. Bogle, of the law faculty at Ann Arbor, and Mrs. Bogle, whose daughter, formerly Miss Catherine Bogle, has been in Berlin with her husband, Hugh R. Wilson, a secretary of the American legation there Word has just reached Prof. Bogle that his daughter and her husband will not return to this country with Ambassador, Gerard. Mr. Wilson has been assigned to Berne.

The Pontiac Real Estate exchange has adopted resolutions favoring the Torrens system of land transfers and has appointed a committee to take the matter up with the senators and legis-lators from Oakland county.

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Local News

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, FEB. 22

Mrs. Charles Sullivan is able to be out after a serious attack of la grippe. day. Andrew Peterson, jeweler, spent Sunday in Detroit with his son, Carl

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kraus attended the State Hardwaremen's convention at Detroit last week.

No need to be without a watch when you can get one on the dollar-a-week plan at Hathaway's.

E. Cote of Midland, visited his brother-in-law, Thos. Cassidy at Mercy hospital part of Tuesday and Wednesday. Mrs. Frank Anstett returned last week from several weeks' stay in Der came up for the party. troit, being called there by the iliness

"Under Two Flags" featuring The la Bara will be shown at the house next Sunday evening, Feb. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Gierke of Monte pelier, Ohio, and Mr. Edward Gierke of Detroit were guests at the A. F.

Gierke home a few days this week. Lorainel Sparkes, who has been spending a couple of months in Chicago, taking a commercial course, has Int accepted a position in the Salling,

Gravling lodge of Moose have been at the grand lodge meeting to be held at Flint next June. This is a nice

Miss Grace Scott of Flint is visiting Miss Catherine Clark for a few days A big line of bracelet-watches just n at Hathaway's. Why not buy one

on the easy payment plan? A. F. Gierke left Saturday to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. McKin-

A young Hollander-working at the Flooring plant, had one of his feet badly crushed-Wednesday morning He was at work on the dry kiln.

Mrs. L. J. Kraus has issued invitations for an apron shower to be given Saturday afternoon at her home in honor of Miss Hattie Kraus, a bride of this month.

Many enjoyed the Old Follow! dancing party at the Temple theatre Tuesday, evening and a number of young gentlemen from West Branch

Messrs Harry Hill and W. E. Russel of the M. C. freight office, left yester- and has all the fire of war. Regular day on a northern trip to attend a carnival at Ishpeming and also to Mar Russel's mother at the latter city;

Invitations are out for the weddt Mr. Wilford Cohen of Detroit which time will occur next Wednesday, February 28th. Pollowing the ceremony, a reception will be held at Shoppenagon's

Little Stanley Larson entertained of last week, in honor of his 9th birthnotified that their degree team would day. A pretty luncheon was served the boys, the table being decorated symbolic of St. Valentine's Day, with hearts, as place cards with candles on compliment to Grayling lodge and them, and in the center a birthday cake with nine candles displayed on it

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H. Joseph is in Mt. Clemens taking

Patsy McKay, who was quite seriously ill with pneumonia is reported as improving.

Mrs. Blaine, mother of Mrs. John Charlefour is critically ill with pneu-monia at their home.

Today is Washington's birthday and in his honor many of our stores are

closed this afternoon. Mrs. A. F. Glerke was in Flint over Sunday visiting her daughter, Miss

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Julius Jenson of the South side last week Wednesday.

Miss Rose Dufour returned last Fri day to Detroit, after a several weeks' visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. C.

C. J. Hathaway is in Lansing this week attending a meeting of the Michte has the honor of

Don't lock your door AFTER your orse is stolen nor buy fire insurance AFTER your property is burned. See reo. L. Mexander & Son.

There will be a masquerade danc ing party given under the auspices of the Danish Brotherhood society Saturday evening, February 24th at Temple theatre.

Mrs. Frank Woodruff left Saturday for Ann Arbor to consult physicians as to her health. She was accompanied by Mrs. LeRoy Barber, who also went to consult a specialist.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flynn of Bay City last. Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Flynn resided here a part of last winter and luring their stay here made many

The D. & M. depot at Rogers City burned to the ground late' Wednesday night of last week. Records and all papers, and a large quantity of freight was destroyed.

See Theda Bara, as Cigarette in "Under Two Flage" at the Opera Grayling Board of trade at the Gray- tee assignments." house next Sunday night, Feb. 25th. It is a story of Algerian army life,

The last meeting before Lent of the Mary's parsonage last Thursday evenng. The Misses Nellie Charlefour. of-Miss Hattie Kraus, daughter of Doris and Carrie Lagrow entertained and give the members a very pleasant

Mr. Stork called on Mr. and Mrs Thos. L. Wakeley, February 10th, and left a baby girl, weighing nine and three quarters pounds. Both mother and daughter are feeling fine and eight of his boy friends Wednesday Tom feels about three times as big as

Mrs. Carl England returned home Tuesday from attending the funeral of a cousin at Saginaw, just in time to ment of the Burton hotel. receive the sad news of the death of a brother in Nebraska. She left yesterday for that place to be in attendance

ton, being called here the fore part of last week, by the serious illness of his nother and father, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Brink. We are glad to say both of the latter are improving steadily.

Rev. Aaron Mitchell of the M. E. church, has been ordered by Bishop Henderson of Detroit, to speak at the following places: Vanderbilt, Feb. 23; He had been in Detroit for some time. Gaylord, Feb. 26; Grayling, Feb. 27; and returned-to the farm, it is believ-West Branch, Feb. 28 and March 2 at Bay City. He will be assisted in these found by a neighbor there was no fire neetings by two other speakers.

Albert Grouleff, preceding his departure for his home in Muncle, Ind., taken to Wolverine, where he died a was hostess at a 6:00 o'clock-dinner, couple of days after of the effects. at Shoppenagon's Inn. Saturday evening. There were 14 gentlemen present. Mr. R. Hanson, after the dinner presented Mr. Grouless with a beauti-

ful gold handled umbrella as a gift. A fire at the Thos. Robinson home called out the fire department at about and the many boxes were sold at good 3:30 Tuesday morning. It was but a small blaze caused by a piece of plaster falling from the celling onto a lamp that was on the dresser, and the lamp exploded burning the dresser, and some of the bed clothes on a bed

Henry Joseph returned home from Saginaw this morning, where he signed up to serve as distributor in north ern Michigan for Maxotires. These are linings that set inside of old, and often times, worn-out-tires, makingthem as strong or stronger than when new. They promise to be great money savers for auto owners. Read his advertisement on the second page,

Tuesday evening, Rev. Fr. Riess performing the ceremony. Mrs. Cody is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Miller, and the groom is a brother of Sheriff Wm. H. Cody. They have resided in Grayling only a few years but are quite well known. They are receiving the congratulations and best wishes of their friends.

Now listen to this: Miss Louise L Tollotson, alias Mary McLean, alias Melba Costello, who has been sought by Windsor immigration officers for some time, was arrested last Friday at Sarnia, Ont. The woman had served several terms in Ontario for shoplifting, but this time was attempting to enter Canada as a Red Cross lecturer. In this roll it is said she has fleeced several communities in Ontario out of hundreds of dollars. She is the same woman who lectured here a short time ago on Hawaii.

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aster And flaunt-my-head to the stars,"

Attorney E. M. Harris of West Branch was in the city Tuesday on legal business. Hathaway says he cannot give you new eyes, but he can improve th

ones you have with his glasses.

N. P. Olson has been confined to his home for the past couple of weeks quite ill. He is improving at present, Mrs. Charles Adams left Friday for Rena Alstrom, also friends at East Jordan.

You can get four standard maga zines one year for 25 cents extra by enewing your subscription to the

The regular monthly meeting of th ling Social club rooms next Monday

A baby daughter was born Saturday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Robinenson. Mother and babe are both doing nicely...

Albert Grouleff of Muncie, Indian who spent several days here visiting elatives and old friends, left Monday on his return home. Bucaute he viited Mason and Lausing, accon-

by T. W. Hanson. Mrs. A. J. McInnis has gone to Detroit to join-her husband, and to mak her future home. Her brother, Roy Milnes, was forced to give up his position as assistant book-keeper in the Bank, in order to take up the manage

For some time Sheriff Cody has sheriff at T-town and about gave up finding the right man who would have Arthur Brink arrived Wednesday it. He finally settled on T. Hanson, morning from Granite Falls, Washing- thus the latter is now a full-fledged officer with authority to make arrests draw juries, preserve orders, etc., and of course may now attend shows and other entertainments free,

> A man, Gus Pankhurst was found badly frozen at a farm wear Wolver ine, in which he had a half-interest, ed in a despondent condition. When been any for several days. He was

The Teachers' Folk Dancing clul gave a very enjoyable party at the Danish gymnasium last Saturday evening. The invitations read that it would be a box social and dancing, Mr. M. A. Bates was the auctioneer, ly prices. There were about 50 young people present, and after the sale of the boxes, dancing with music furanished by Clark's orchestra, was ; pleasant pastime until -12:00 o'clock. Everyone, who was present report a very pleasant evening.

Well-known Young People Wed. The home of Mrs. Laura Tetu was he scene of a quiet wedding Tuesday evening, when her daughter, Miss Fe dora, and Harold Rasmusson, only son of Mr. and Mr. Lars Rasmusson

were united in marriage. Rev. Fr. John J. Riess performed the ceremony which took place at 8:00 Miss Gladys Miller and Mr. Oliver o'clock. Miss Maude Tetu, sister of Cody, both of this city, were united in the bride, acted as bridesmaid and marriage at St. Mary's parsonage, Marr Rasmusson officiated as grooms man. Only relatives and a few friends were present to witness the ceremony, after which a three course dinner was

> They left Wednesday morning on a wedding trip to Flint, Saginaw and worth of magazines for only 25c extra. Detroit and on their return will be at nome on Peninsular avenue.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Rasmusson have lived in Grayling all of their lives and are well known, and both have been employees at the Salling, Harson Co. store,-Mrs. Rasmusson for the past two years and Mr. Rasmusson for a number of years. Their friends extend congratulations.

Coming.

S. G. Searight, the eyesight speciallat, will again be in Grayling at the pation they will do you good. McClain hotel about Feb. 25th

Subscribe for the Avalanche.

SECOND ANNUAL BANQUET.

Frederic Board of Commerce Have Social Session. The members of the Frederic Board

Leommerco enjoyed a social session and hanquer at their club rooms Tuesday evening. As usual there was an elaborate banquet awaiting those who were privileged to attend. It was served in courses and was as follows:

Roast chicken; mashed potatoes fressing; and cranberry sauce. Salatis-Potato; chicken, and fruit

Vegetables-Ripe-toniatoes; celery radishes; olives, and pickles. Graham, rye and white br

Malted extracts; cigars, and cigar

Tea and coffee.

The following verse was printed at

Washington ice cream and assorted

the bottom of the meriu: "Fat paunches make lean pates, and dainty bits Make rich the ribs, but bankrupt _quite the wit

George Burkhart acted as toastmaster, with the understanding that "And let him be sure to leave other men their turn to speak.

dered: Patriotism Rev. Wm. Terhune. The Board of Commerce, its relation to the town, ... Jas. Kalahar.

.... Chas, Craven. Our President B. J. Callahan Overture, Standard American Airs

Senator McRae Receives Compli ments.

Henry L. Oakley, who is writing interesting legislative reports for the Arenac Independent and other papers,

"Senator Duncan McRae of Alcona county, the new senator from the Twenty-eighth district, is taking hold makes friends with all, and bids fair to be one of the ranking members of the senate and a credit to the district.

Lieutenant Covernor Dickinson, in writing former Senator Foster, a col-Senator Mckae: "I find him to be all good representative, and is making

Our appreciation and sincere thanks s_extended_to_the_neighbors_and

in our late san beceavement, the death of our husband and father. Also thanks for the beautiful floral contri butions, especially the Loyal Order o

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CALL and see me at my residence for terms on piano lessons. Mrs. C. H. Hathaway, piano instructor. 15-3

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I was called upon to preach the funeral sermon of a man who was a clerk in one of the great railroad offi-ces down town. He had a beautiful little home here in the city, a lovely wife and child. He lived a life of simple happy ease.

One day last week he was sitting at his desk writing and whistling when suddenly his whistling ceased, his writing stopped, his head dropped forward on his book, and his heart, ever light and gay ceased to throb.

When his accounts were footed up he had nothing. The boys in the office had to defray his funeral expenses, and they were just as poor as he. One dollar a week invested in life insurance would have avoided all this.

The saddest sight I think I ever witnessed in my life was his frail, delicate little wife, standing beside the open grave, with the cold wind whistling through the barren trees, sobbingas if her heart would break, with not enough money in her pocketbook to buy her lunch and pay her way back to her cheerless home.

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School Notes

Professor Henderson's lecture to-

High school play tomorrow night. No basketball games this week. Cheboygan will be with us next week Friday night.

The 7th-B class are much interest ior Andre".

Mr. Elisworth would like to find a place for a good trustworty boy to with her parents at Wellington. work for his board and attend school The first grade is learning "Golden

Washington stories and readings are much in evidence this week in the

The 7 B geography class have be

gun the study of South America, "The Continent of Trees." They can tell you why it is given that name. You will be interested in "The Elopement of Ellen," the beautiful three-act comedy that is to be ren-

dered by the high school tomorrow

evening at eight o'clock. Admission 25 and 35 cents. No reserved seats. If you hear such a question as. 'What kind of a house is a "scarcely' house?" Or "What did "there" look like when he came to the door?" don't be surprised. . The members of the

7th A are analyzing sentences. Among our new pupils this week are the following: first grade. Thelma and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Eu-Davis; third grade, Thomas Galloway; gene Matheson of Roscommon. high school, Agnes Smith. Our actual total enrollment at the present

We received a carload of coal Mon day. The janitors had been feeding the furnace on half rations for three days. Our fuel supply had been reduced to one bushel of coal and a wheelbarrow load of wood when re lief came.

Grayling is very fortunate this year is we have three good lectures; two University extension lectures and one by Byron W. King on our entertain. Miss Carrie McGillis spent Sunday ment course. The lecture two weeks ago by Professor Davis was especially nstruction for us all. The one to-

Grayling Defeats Frederic Girls and Gaylord Boys. The Boys and Girls' High schoo

baskethall teams of Grayling and rederic were scheduled to play here Friday night of last week, but owing to the illness of two of the players of the Frederic boys' team, Superinten. dent Wood secured the Gaylord boys can to fill the date for Frederic.

The girls' game was not as fast as isual which is probably accounted for cepted in position on a large truck ROAD BUILDING DISCUSSED by lack of practice. The Grayling farm:
girls had had very little practice for several days. The score-was small on ooth sides, the game finishing 5 to 1 n Grayling's favor.

The boys' game started out fast and continued so until the finish. The Gaylord team is much lighter than ours and the players average smaller in size however they proved themselves a strong aggregation.

Grayling boys have lost no games so far this season and at this time they again came forward with a good comfortable margin in the final count. They made 48 points while the visitors

Grayling team played together like clock-work and had the ball in their at the mill. erritory most of the time, but it seem ed- to be an off night for making scores, for some of the simplist shots missed the basket. Karpus, who may usually be depended upon to fill the baskets at almost every opportunity, missed many throws. However in spite of these mishaps Grayling had points enough and to spare. There were many fouls called on both sides

Supt. Wood of Frederic, says that he intends to have his team-play here before the season is over, if possible. They still have a number of games

Methodist Episcopal Church Notes. SUNDAY SERVICES.

Morning at 10:30 o'clock. Evening service at 7:00. Sunday School is held at 11:45. Epworth League at 6:00 o'clock Sun ay evening.

PLEASE NOTE:

On Sunday next, Dr. John Dystant, district superintendent, will be in the city and will preach in the M. E. church on Sunday morning. Sacra-ment will be administered at the close of service. Will all the members and friends be present on Sunday next? All strangers in town are cordially invited to these services.

On Tuesday evening, February 27th; big church rally will be held in the M. E. church. A program will be rendered; two outside speakers will also address the people on matters of vital Mrs. F. Serven, Park St., Grayling, importance at this time. Everybody says: "I was bothered at times with a invited to attend. Admission free.

A. Mitchell, Preacher.

Lovells. D. Isbister spent Thursday with his

ife in Grayling. D. Underhill returned from New York Tuesday.

M. Lux was a Gaylord caller Friday returning home Saturday morning. His daughter, Marcella returned home ed in the reading, "The Death of Ma- with him, spending Sunday with her parents:

> Miss Jesse Failing spent Sunday C. W. Keuhl spent a few days look ing after his interests at the farm.

T. E. Douglas was a Grayling caller Monday, Mrs. T. Masters and son, Charles

spent Sunday with relatives, returning to West Branch Tuesday. Tom Masters accompanied them to West Branch, where he will remain a while.

and Mrs. Tom Wakeley of Sigsbee, at their home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pearsall are visiting with their relatives at Johannes-

Coy News. Mrs. Geo. Royce spent Saturday

Miss Marguerite Scott spent a few lays with Miss Dora Nolan.

Miss Gertrude McGillis, who has been teaching in the Knight district, finished her school Wednesday. . .

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Newton spent a few days at the home of Oliver B. Scott and family. LeRoy Scott, who has been working

at Wm. Floeter's, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver B. Scott.

with her mother, Mrs. Sophia McGillis. Mrs. Alvin Scott is still on the sick

Carl Hart, who has been working at

Miss Gertrude McGillis spent a-few days with her sister, Mrs. Albert Dora and John Nolan accompanied

evening with Miss Cecile Pearsall. Jos. Scott is busy getting out pulp

Eldorado Nuggets.

Waldo B. Kellogg is home from Galagher's camp, where he had been employed during the winter. He is now packing his goods preparatory to mov ing-to Toledo, Onio, where he has ac

The new house of Charles A. Cook, eplacing the one recently destroyed by fire, is nearly ready for occupancy, owing to the kindly offices of his

T. H. Devarmond, of Mio was in this vicinity Friday, when he purchased Joseph Weber's entire flock of sheep, returning Monday to drive them home The General Sales Manager of the Buick company bought a Helping Henry at first sight of the literature. Why don't you?

Domer Miller, who is sawing lumber

Henry Hager of Mio called here Sunday.

James F. Crane has, at the present writing, ten fine young lambs, some of which arrived when the thermome ter registered 30 below zero. They are all well and apparently happy.

In Memoriam.

WHEREAS: Almighty God who knowth and doeth all things for the best, has seen fit to remove from our midst our beloved sister, Mrs. Flora Har-

Resolved: that the members of Court Grayling, 790 L.O. F. extend to the bereaved family their sincere sympathy in their sad hour of bereavement and be it further

Resolved: that our Charter be draped for a period of 30 days and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to times during the Civil war. the bereaved family and a copy to the High Court of I. O. F. for publication.

Pauline Austett, Eugene Smith, Committee

ALL WRONG.

The Mistake is Made by Many Grayling Citizens. Look for the cause of backache.

To be cured you must know the If its weak kidneys you must set the kidneys working right.

A Grayling woman tells you how.

weak and lame back and often the small of my back was sore and ached

GENERAL FUNSTON CLAIMS A JOKER IN DIES SUDDENLY "BONE DRY" BILL

ACUTE INDIGESTION TAKES COM-MANDER OF TROOPS ON MEX-ICAN BORDER

PERSHING NOW IN COMMAND

Will Have Charge of Movement of National Guard Ordered Home Recently.

San Antonio, Tex.-Major General Frederick Funston commanding the southern department of the United States army and one of the leading figures in the country's military history since his capture of Aguinaldo while commanding a Kansas volunteer regiment in the Philippines, died Branch, where he will remain a while.

Dan McCormick spent Sunday with Mike Lux.

C. W. Crawl is in Loyells working for an Old Line Insurance Co. in connection with the Grange order.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wakeley of Sigsbee, good spirits and after the meet he.

and Mrs. Tom Wakeley of Sigsbee, good spirits and after the meal be-announcing the arrival of a baby girl gan to play with a child of one of at their home last week. the guests. He fell over unconscious before anyone could reach him. General Funston was 51 years old:



Maj.-Gen. Frederick Funston.

night by Professor Henderson will be Jos. Gallagher's camp, was very bad-been in command of the El Paso predicted as the probable outcome of inst as good. One good lecture has at by burt by a falling tree. district snow the withdrawal of the Gov. Sleeper's campaign to secure a American expedition from Mexico, au- budget-system-for-the-state. American expedition from mexico, au pudget system for the state; tomatically succeeds to the duties of f Gov. Sleeper's message on the budenment of the southern depart get went to the house after seven ment until an appointment has been weeks of the legislative session had made. Recently made a major gener produced no result in the budget matby Marguerite Scott spont Sunday al, he is the only officer of that rank ter.

of the National Guard ordered home ent session of the legislature, and if from the border. It is expected that not previous to the next session of this movement, plans for which were the legislature."

worked out by General Funston as The words "previous to the next

Highway Officials of State Get New Ideas at U. of M.

wrong with the roads of the state it will receive a thorough airing at the third annual course in highway engineering given at the University of Michigan this week. This course, which comprises a series of lectures by prominent engineers from all over the country, is held for the benefit of road officials of the state.

Ann Arbor-If there is

Road officials claim that the heavy trucks coming into general use make near Luzerne, was here on business and the agitation has resulted in the and the agitation has resulted in the introduction of bills at Lansing limiting the weight of trucks which may be improved roads. it impossible to keep roads in repair, FOR GRADUATED INCOME TAX

The various laboratories of the highway department of the engineering college were opened to the visitors who wished to study tests as an aid who wished to study tests as an aid in the selection and use of roadmar- all intangible personal property taxes. ing substances. They found there every kind of material used in the income tax is not possible, but the building of roads, for since this destate board would have the basic law partment has been in existence city amended. The commission admits engineers, county, township and state that the taxation of such property officials have submitted samples, has been a failure in this state, and compiled which has resulted in saving intangible property made little differin the cost of road construction.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Hastings-Friend Soules, 84 years old, whose bravery at the slege of Petersburg in the First Michigan Sharpshooters won him a promotion from private to lieutenant, was buried Saturday. He was wounded several

Mt. Pleasant-Ernest Hinebaugh was severely burned thawing out a pump with gasoline. Saginaw-Sugar beet companies of Michigan will pay laborers in the

fields \$2 more an acre this year. Capac-An effort is to be made to make this village "dry" May 1, 1917, instead of waiting until the constituone year later. "Dry" candidates for village president and councilmen have entered the campaign for election in April and if elected declare they will refuse to permit the operation of sa-loons. A bitter contest by "wet" can-

didates for president and councilmen has already been started. When You Have a Cold.

LECTURER FOR ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE SAYS WETS HAVE INSERTED ONE.

DRYS SUPPORT WILEY BILL

Claimed That This Bill Embodies Everything Demanded by Amendment Voted On Last Fall.

Lansing-Maj. Dan Morgan Smith, for five years foremost legal authority for organized liquor, but now a lec-turer for the National Anti-Saloon league, told an audience in Deiroit that there is a joker in the so-called bone dry bill asked by the liquor in-terests of Michigan, but there soon will be a real bone-dry in effect.

The McArthur bill, he said, conof more than a pint and a half of would let a man keep pretty drunk, as even a pint a day of whisky is a large amount for most men. Against this bill the Anti-Saloon league. been supporting the Wiley measure, of liquor a man can possess, but the

Neither of these bills, he said, is hone dry. The Wiley bill puts into by the constitutional amendment vot-Saloon league, as Mr. Smith outlined it, was to get this upon the statute books and then go to the polls with a really will be bone dry, prohibiting beverage purposes. This amendment the league will support and Maj. Smith forecast it would carry.

SLEEPER FOR BUDGET PLAN

In Message to Legislature Urges Adop tion of Reform.

Lansing.—A special session in Jan-uary, 1918, to put into effect Michi gan's first budget system-for the las Major-General Pershing, who has fiscal year of Gov. Sleeper's term,

now assigned to the department. In his message the governor called As immediate successor to the comfor the appointment of an outside mand, General Pershing will have commission, which, he said, should charge of the many remaining units, "report if practicable during the pression."

virtually his last military duty, will session of the legislature" point digo forward without interruption. have expected the governor would for a report "at the next session," but he wants a report "previous to the session." The special session idea has struck the legislators with cathusiasm. The leaders are now say-

investigate all statutes affecting appropriations, the organization of the different institutions, and accounting methods. It will also investigate the budget system of other states

Commission Recommends That One Be Substituted for Personal Tax

Lansing—The tax commission recom mended to the legislature that a grad Under the present constitution an points out that the fallure to tax ence until recently because the ma jority of the properties of the state was realty. Of late the increase in industrial properties has increased that class of property and many

people are escaping just taxation.

The commission would also require all industrial and mercantile corpora-tions to make an annual report to the commission

It asks authority to assess electric interurban railrond properties as a unit and would also force grantors of lands to name the actual conside eration in deeds of conveyance,

Adumae Russell, 81, a veteran of the Civil war and for 60 years a member of the Masonic order, died at his

merchants and manufacturers is foreseen as a result of the announcement that the Boyne City, Gaylord & Alpena railroad will be completed and regular train service established by June 1. Several new manufacture ing plants of considerable size are in prospect for Alpena when train service on the new road is started.

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Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the con litious of a certain mortgage, made by Fred Eseman and Mary Eseman, his wife, of Wellington, Crawford County in the office of the Register of Deeds for the Country of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 18th day of Oc-tober, A. D. 1913, in Liber H of mortcages on page 190, on which mortgage here is claimed to be due at the date cents, and an Attorney's fee of twen ty-five dollars, provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings stellaw-having-been instituted to re-cover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

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The Southwest quarter of the Northcast quarter (SW. X of NE. X) of Section one (1). In township twenty-five (25) north of range-four-(4) west containing forty (40) acres of land more or less, according to the returns of the Surveyor General.

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ORLANDO F. BARNES. O. PALMER, Attorney for Mortgagee. Business address: Grayling, Mich. 12-7-13

TATE OF MICHIGAN: In the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, in Chancery. of Crawford, in Chance., Ancient Order of Gleaners, Plaintiff

Notice.

Vs.

Wm. A. Montgomery,

Defendant.

In persuance of a degree of the Circuit court for the County of Crawford.

In Chancery, made and entered on the 9th day of January, A. D. 1917, in the above entitled cause, I. the subscriber, a special Circuit Court Commissioner of the County of Crawford, appointed by the Court, will self-at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the Village of Grayling, in said County of Crawford, on the twenty eighth day of April, A. D. 1917, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day all those certain lands and premises, situate and being in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan. day all those certain lands and premises, situate and being in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: The west half of southwest quarter of section fourteen and northeast quarter of section-twenty-two, except sixty acres off of north side of same, and northeast quarter of northwest quarter and southeast quarter of southeast quarter of section fifteen, township twenty-five north of range four west.

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Special Circuit Court Commissioner, January 27, 1917. 2-1-13

\$100 Reward, \$100. The readers of this paper will be

pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greaty influenced by constitutional condi-Great Social Event.

There will be a "Poverty Social" tired and languid. I have used Doan's given by the Young Men's club at the Kidney Pills, which I got at Lewis' Drug atore, for this trouble and they have never failed to relieve me, rid-ding me of the complaint."

There will be a fine musical program and refreshments. They say that anyone appearing in respectable ply sak for a kidney remedy get that anyone appearing in respectable ply sak for a kidney remedy get that anyone appearing in respectable ply sak for a kidney remedy get that anyone appearing in respectable ply sak for a kidney remedy get that anyone appearing in respectable ply sak for a kidney remedy get that anyone appearing in respectable ply sak for a kidney remedy get that anyone appearing in respectable ply sak for a kidney remedy get that anyone appearing in respectable ply sak for a kidney remedy get that anyone appearing in respectable ply sak for a kidney remedy get that I got a bottle of it. The first doas benefitted him so much that I continued giving it to him to take one or two of Chamberlain's Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all drugglists, 75 cents. About Constipation.

Certain articles of diet tend-to check taken internally, and acts thru the movements of the bowels. The most blood on the mucous surfaces of the

THE WOMAN PAYS

I was called upon to preach the funeral sermon of a man who was a clerk in one of the great railroad offices down town. He had a beautiful little home here in the city, a lovely wife and child. He lived a life of simple happy ease.

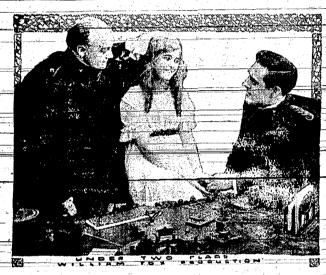
One day last week he was sitting at his desk writing and whistling when suddenly his whistling ceased, his writing stopped, his head dropped forward on his book, and his heart, ever light and gay ceased to throb.

When his accounts were footed up he had nothing. The boys in the office had to defray his funeral expenses, and they were just as poor as he. One dollar a week invested in life insurance would have avoided all this.

The saddest sight I think I ever witnessed in my life was his frail, delicate little wife, standing beside the open grave, with the cold wind whistling through the barren trees, sobbing as if her heart would break, with not enough money in her pocketbook to buy her lunch and pay her way back to her cheerless home.

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School Notes

EProfessor Henderson's lecture to-

High school play tomorrow night. No basketball games this week. Cheboygan will be with us next week Friday night.

The 7th B class are much interested in the reading, "The Death of Ma- with him, spending Sunday with her jor Andre'

Mr. Elisworth would like to find a place for a good trustworty boy to with her parents at Wellington. work for his board and attend school.

Keys" this week. are much in evidence this week in the grades.

The 7 B geography class have begun the study of South America, 'The Continent of Trees." They can tell you why it ingiven that name.

You will be interested in "The Elopement of Ellen," the beautiful three-act comedy that is to be rendered by the high school tomorrow evening at eight o'clock. Admission 25 and 35 cents. No reserved seats.

If you hear such a question as, "What kind of a house is a "scarcely" bouse?" Or "What did "there" look like when he came to the door?" don't be surprised. The members of the 7th A are analyzing sentences.

Among our new publis this week are the following: first grade. Thelma Davis; third grade, Thomas Galloway; high school, Agnes Smith. Our act ual total enrollment at the present

We received a carload of coal Monday. The janitors had been feeding the furnace on half rations for three days. Our fuel supply had been re-duced to one bushel of coal and a few days at the home of Oliver B. wheelbarrow load of wood when re

Grayling is very fortunate this year is we have three good lectures; two University extension lectures and one by Byron W. King on our entertainment course. The lecture two weeks ago by Professor Davis was especially ood. It contained food for that and list, instruction for us all. The one toeast as much real value as four good concerts, however entertaining they

Gravling Defeats Frederic Girl and Caylord Boys.

Boys and Girls' High school asketball teams of Grayling and Frederic were scheduled to play here Friday-night-of-last-week-but-owing to the illness of two of the players of the Frederic boys' team, Superinten- lagher's camp, where he had been-emdent Wood secured the Gaylord boys ployed during the winter. He is nov cam to fill the date for Frederic.

by lack of practice. The Grayling farm. girls had had very little practice for several days. The score was small on oth sides, the game finishing 5 to 1 in Grayling's favor.

The boys' game started out fast and continued so until the finish. The Gaylord team is much lighter than ours and the players average smaller in size however they proved them selves a strong aggregation.

far this season and at this time they again came forward with a good com- Why don't you fortable margin in the final count They made 48 points while the visitors

Grayling team played together like clock-work and had the ball in their at the mill. territory most of the time, but it seemed to be an off night for making scores, for some of the simplist shots missed the basket. Karpus, who may isually be depended upon to fill the baskets at almost every opportunity missed many throws. However is spite of these mishaps Grayling had are all well and apparently happy. points enough and to spare. There were many fouls called on both sides.

Supt. Wood of Frederic, says that before the season is over, if possible, our beloved sister, Mrs. Flora Har-They still have a number of games scheduled.

Methodist Episcopal Church Notes.

SUNDAY SERVICES. Morning at 10:30 o'clock. Evening service at 7:00. Sunday School is held at 11:45, Epworth League at 6:00 o'clock Sun

ay evening. PLEASE NOTE: On Sunday next, Dr. John Dystant district superintendent, will be in the city and will preach in the M. E. church on Sunday morning. Sacrament will be administered at the close of service. Will all the members and The Mistake is Made by Many friends be present on Sunday next?

all strangers in town are cordially invited to these services. On Tuesday evening, February 27th, a big church rally will be held in the M. E. church. A program will be rendered: two outside speakers will also address the people on matters of vital importance at this time. Everybody nvited to attend. Admission free.

A. Mitchell, Preacher.

Correspondence.

Lovells. D. Isbister spent Thursday with his wife in Grayling.

D. Underhill returned from New York Tuesday.

M. Lux was a Gaylord caller Friday returning home Saturday morning. His daughter, Marcella returned home

Miss Jesse Failing spent Sunday C. W. Keuhl spent a few days look-The first grade is learning "Golden ing after his interests at the farm. T. E. Douglas was a Grayling caller

> Mrs. T. Masters and son, Charles spent Sunday with relatives, returnng to West Branch Tuesday. Masters accompanied them to West Branch, where he will remain a while.

Mike Lux. C. W. Crawl is in Lovells working for an Old Line Insurance Co. in connection with the Grange order.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wakeley of Sigsbee, announcing the arrival of a baby girl at their home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pearsall are visiting with their relatives at Johannes

Coy News.

Mrs. Geo. Royce spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Eugene Matheson of Roscommon.

Miss Marguerite Scott spent a few days with Miss Dora Nolan Miss Gertrude McGillis, who has

been teaching in the Knight district. finished her school Wednesday. . Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Newton spent a

Scott and family. LeRoy Scott, who has been working it Wm. Floeter's, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver B.

"Miss Carrie McGillis spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Sophia McGillis Mrs. Alvin Scott is still on the sick

Miss Gertrude McGillis spent a few lays with her sister. Mrs harron of Prederic.

Jos. Scott is busy getting out pulp

Eldorado Nuggets.

Waldo B. Kellogg is home from Gal-

packing his goods preparatory to mov The girls' game was not as fast as ing to Toledo, Onio, where he has ac isual which is probably accounted for cepted a position on a large truck

The new house of Charles A. Cook replacing the one recently destroyed by fire, is nearly ready for occupancy owing to the kindly offices of his neighbors.

vicinity Friday, when he purchased Joseph Weber's entire flock of sheep, returning Monday to drive them home

Henry at first sight of the literature. of road officials of the state.

Why don't you?

Road officials claim that the he Domer Miller, who is sawing lumber

near Luzerne, was here on business Saturday. He was accompanied on his return by Joe Odle, who will work

Henry Hager of Mio called here Sunday.

James F. Crane has, at the present writing, ten fine young lambs, some of which arrived when the thermome, ter registered 30 below zero. They

in Memoriam.

WHEREAS: Almighty God who know eth and doeth all things for the best, he intends to have his team: play here has seen fit to remove from our midst

Resolved: that the members of Court Grayling, 790 I. O. F. extend to the bereaved family their sincere sympathy in their sad hour of bereavement and

Resolved: that our Charter be draped for a period of 30 days and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family and a copy to the High Court of I. O. F. for publication.

Pauline Anstett, Eugene Smith,

ALL WRONG.

Grayling Citizens. Look for the cause of backache.

To be cured you must know the If its weak kidneys you must set the kidneys working right.

A Grayling woman tells you how. Mrs. F. Serven, Park St., Grayling, says: "I was bothered at times with a weak and lame back and often the small of my back was, sore and ached dreadfully. The kidney secretions

GENERAL FUNSTON CLAIMS A JOKER IN

ACUTE INDIGESTION TAKES COM-MANDER OF TROOPS ON MEX-ICAN BORDER

PERSHING NOW IN COMMAND DRYS SUPPORT WILEY BILL

Will Have Charge of Movement of National Guard Ordered Home Recently.

San Antonio, Tex.—Major General Frederick Funston commanding the southern department of the United States army and one of the leading figures in the country's military history since his capture of Aguinaldo while commandiing a Kansas volunteer regiment in the Philippines, died of acute indigestion on February 19. Dan McCormick spent Sunday with ner with friend and did not regain conscousness fore his death, a short time after and.

General Function had been at his office all day, with no sign of ill health.

During dinner he seemed in his usual good spirits and after the meal began to play with a child of one of the guests. He fell over unconscious before anyone could reach him.

General Funston was 51 years old.



Maj.-Gen. Frederick Funston.

American expedition from Mexico, au budget system for the state. tomatically succeeds to the duties of Gov. Sleeper's message on the bud-commander of the southern depart get went to the house after seven Charron of Frederic.

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charge of the many remaining units "report if practicable during the pres of the National Guard ordered home ent session of the legislature, and if from the border. It is expected that not previous to the next session of this movement, plans for which were the legislature." worked out by General Function as The words "previous to the next virtually his last military duty, will session of the legislature" point digo forward without interruption.

Highway Officials of State Get New ideas at U. of M.

Ann Arbor-If there is anything wrong with the roads of the state it will receive a thorough airing at the third annual course in highway engineering given at the University of Michigan this week. This which comprises a series of lectures The General Sales Manager of the by prominent engineers from all over Grayling boys have lost no games so Buick company bought a Helping the country, is held for the benefit

> trucks coming into general use make it impossible to keep roads in repair, FOR GRADUATED INCOME TAX and the agitation has resulted in the introduction of bills at Lansing limiting the weight of trucks which may be

used on improved roads. The various laboratories of the highway department of the engineer ing college were opened to the visitors who wished to study tests as an aid in the selection and use of roadmaking substances. They found there partment has been in existence city officials have submitted samples, From these samples data have been compiled which has resulted in saving

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Hastings—Friend Soules, 84 years old, whose bravery at the siege of Petersburg in the First Michigan Sharpshooters won him a promotion from private to lieutenant, was buried Saturday. He was wounded several times during the Civil war. Mt. Pleasant-Ernest Hinebaugh

was severely burned thawing out a pump with gasoline. Saginaw-Sugar beet companies of Michigan will pay laborers in the

fields \$2 more an acre this year.

Capac-An effort is to be made make this village "dry" May 1, 1917, instead of waiting until the constitutional amendment becomes effective one year later. "Dry" candidates for village president and councilmen have entered the campaign for election in April and if elected declare they will refuse to permit the operation of saioons. A bitter contest by "wet" can-didates for president and councilmen has already been started.

When You Have a Cold. It is when you have a severe cold

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"BONE DRY" BILL

LECTURER FOR ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE SAYS WETS HAVE INSERTED ONE.

Claimed That This- Bill Embedies Everything Demanded by Amendment Voted On Last Fail.

Lansing-Maj. Dan Morgan Smith, for five years foremost legal authority for organized liquor, but now a rec turer for the National Anti-Saloon league, told an audience in Detroit that there is a joker in the so-called bone dry bill asked by the liquor interests of Michigan, but there soon will be a real-bene-dry in effect.

The McArthur bill, he said, con tains a clause preventing possession of more than a pint and a half of liquor at one time. This of course, would let a man keep pretty drunk, as even a pint a day of whisky is a large amount for most men. Against this bill the Anti-Saloon league has been supporting the Wiley measure, which limits, not merely the amount of fiquor a man can possess, but the amount he can receive in a stated

Neither of these bills, he said, is effect, however, everything demanded by the constitutional amendment voted last fall. The plan of the Anti-Saloon league, as Mr. Smith outlined

It, was to get this upon the statute
books and then go to the polls with a second constitutional amendment that all possession or transportation-for beverage purposes. This amendment the league will support and Maj Smith forecast it would carry.

SLEEPER FOR BUDGET PLAN

In Message to Legislature Urges Adop __tion_of_Reform.

uary, 1918, to put into effect Michigan's first budget system for the last might by Professor Heuderson will be Jos Gallagher's camp, was very bad been in command of the El Paso predicted as the probable outcome of just as good. One good lecture has at ly hurt by a failing tree. district sace the withdrawal of the Gov. Sleeper's campaign to secure a

now assigned to the department.

As immediate successor to the command, General Pershing will have commission, which, he said, should

rectly to a special session. Some have expected the governor would ROAD BUILDING DISCUSSED ask for a report "at-the next session," but he wants a report "previous to the session." The special session idea. has struck the legislators with enthusiasm. The leaders are now saying that the budget plan can be made the achievement of the present house

The commission to be appointed will course, investigate all statutes affecting appropriations, the organization of the different institutions, and accounting methods. It will also investigate the budget system of other states.

Commission-Recommends That One Be Substituted for Personal Tax.

Lansing-The tax commission recom mended to the legislature that a graduated income tax be substituted for all intangible personal property taxe Under the present constitution an every kind of material used in the income tax is not possible, but the building of roads, for since this destate board would have the basic law engineers, county, township and state that the taxation of such property amended. The commission admits has been a failure in this state, and points out that the failure to take intangible property made little differ ence until recently because the mafority of the properties of the state was realty. Of late the increase in industrial properties has increased that class of property and many people are escaping just taxation.

The commission would also require all industrial and mercantile corporations to make an annual report to the commission.

It asks authority to assess electric-interurban railroad properties as a unit and would also force grantors of lands to name the actual consideeration in deeds of conveyance.

Adumae Russell, 81, a-veteran of the Civil war and for 60 years a member of the Masonic order, died at his home in Galesburg.

Increased prosperity for Alpena merchants and manufacturers is foreseen as a result of the announcementthat the Boyne City Gaylord & Alpena railroad will be completed and regular train service established by June 1. Several new manufacturing plants of considerable size are in prospect for Alpena when train ser-vice on the new road is started.

common of these are cheese, tea and balled milk. On the other hand raw fruits, especially apples and bananas, also graham bread and whole wheat bread promote a movement of the bowels. When the bowels are badly constipated, however, the sure way is to take one or two of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after auguer.

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Mortgage Sale

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tred Eseman and Mary Eseman, his wife, of Wellington, Crawford County Michigan, to Orlando I. Barnes of tansing, Michigan, dated the twelfth any or July, A. D. 1913, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State ober, A. D. 1913, in Liber H of mort-cages on page 190, on which mortgage here is claimed to be due at the date f this notice the sum of One hundred of this notice the sum of One hundred eighty-eight-dollars and elghty-ning cents, and an Attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars, provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been justifuted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mort-gage, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Tuesday the 6th day of March A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at Public auction to the highest bidder, at the front-door of the Court house in the Village. of Grayling, County of Crawford, that being the place where the Circuit Court for said County of Crawford is said County of Crawford is said county of crawford is said wortgage, or so much thereof as may and senate and of the present administration if the commission is appointed and the special session is called to act on its report.

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The Southwest quarter of the North-cast quarter (SW. % of NE. %) of Sec-tion one (1) in township twenty-five (25) north of range four (4) west containing forty (40) acres of land more or less, according to the returns of

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ORLANDO F. BARNES,
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Morts a PALMER, Attorney for Mortgagee, Business address: Grayling, Mich. 12-7-13

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of Crawford, in Guanes, Ancient Order of Gleaners, Plaintiffs.

-Wm. A. Montgomery, Defendant. Wm. A. Montgomery,

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Special Circuit Court Commissioner,

Special Circuit Court Commissioner, January 27, 1917. 2-1-13

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